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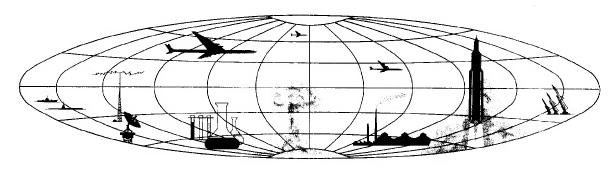
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PREFACE

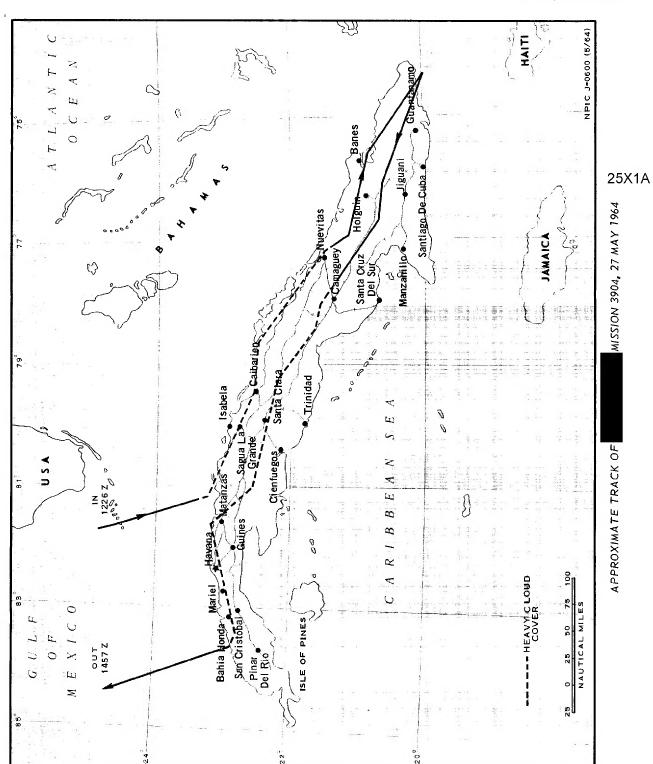
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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM MISSION 3904, DATED 27 MAY 1964. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE BEGINNING OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO: INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS — C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUD COVER), HC (HEAVY CLOUD COVER), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

APPROXIMATELY 70 PER CENT OF THE AREA COVERED WAS OBSCURED BY HEAVY CHOUDS.

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MISSILES

VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2104N 07700W

TWENTY-TWO PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 25 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, AND NUMEROUS MISSILE CANISTERS OBSERVED THROUGH HEAVY HAZE.

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MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), 3 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 3 POSSIBLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 12 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 3 VAN TRAILERS, 18 CANVAS—COVERED MISSILE CANISTERS, AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR AND CANVAS—COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2122N 07750W

SITE IS OCCUPIED.
HAZE PRECLUDES INTERPRETATION.

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HOLGUIN SAM SITE 2052N 07627W

SIX UNREVETTED CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS, 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (4 CANVAS-COVERED), 16 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 9 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE PROBABLE UTILITY TRUCK, 3 OTHER VEHICLES, 3 VAN TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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NUEVITAS SAM SITE 2 2132N Ø7717W

SIX UNREVETTED PROBABLE LAUNCHERS, 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 8 PROBABLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND 4 VAN TRAILERS

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OBSERVED.

HAZE LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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PRESTON SAM SITE 2044N 07538W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), 6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (2 WITH MISSILES), 13 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 3 CARGO TRUCKS, 4 UTILITY TRUCKS, ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 3 OTHER VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, 3 VAN TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR, 4 VAN TRAILERS AND OTHER CANVAS-COVERED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2058N 07538W

EIGHT CANVAS-COVERED CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES, AT LEAST 2 CANVAS-COVERED CRUISE-MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA CRUISE-MISSILE STORAGE 2004N 07551W

AT LEAST 10 CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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MAYARI ARRIBA CRUISE-MISSILE ACTIVITY 2027N 07531W

ELEVEN CRUISE-MISSILE-RELATED VEHICLES, 10 CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES, AT LEAST 10 CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES, AND AT LEAST 40 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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AIR FACILITIES

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2047N 07618W

AIRCRAFT - 2 FAGOT/FRESCO AND ONE POSSIBLE HOUND. HAZE LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE COOT, 2 C-47, AND ONE UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT.
HAZE AND OBLIQUITY LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

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BAYAMO AIRFIELD EAST 2022N 07637W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 PROBABLE COLT.

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NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS

BANES NAVAL BASE 2055N 07542W

VESSELS -- 4 P-4 MTB AND ONE POSSIBLE YP. FIVE UNIDENTIFIED CRATES REMAIN.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA NAVAL BASE AND PORT 2001N 07550W

VESSELS -- 8 LARGE FREIGHTERS, ONE SMALL FREIGHTER, AND ONE POSSIBLE LARGE TANKER. OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.

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MOA PORT 2039N 07456W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.

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NUEVITAS PORT 2132N Ø7715W

VESSELS -- 3 PROBABLE LARGE FREIGHTERS (2 AT ANCHOR), ONE PROBABLE LARGE TANKER, AND ONE UNIDENTIFIED VESSEL OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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PUERTO PADRE PORT 2113N Ø7632W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.

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MILITARY ACTIVITY

GUANTANAMO AREA 2018N 07525W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07613W

MAIN CAMP -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. THIRTY-SIX LARGE TENTS (11 NON-SOVIET), 17 MEDIUM TENTS (4 NON-SOVIET), 16 SMALL TENTS, 22 TANKS/SP GUNS, ONE PROBABLE TANK RECOVERY VEHICLE, 51 CARGO TRUCKS, 15 VAN TRUCKS, 9 UTILITY TRUCKS, 3 OTHER VEHICLES, 2 POSSIBLE GENERATORS, 2 CARGO TRAILERS, 4 FA PIECES AND 3 AAA PIECES. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED AND THE 9-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS UNOCCUPIED.

CAMP Ø.6 NM SE -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. ELEVEN LARGE TENTS (7 NON-SOVIET), 6 MEDIUM TENTS (2 NON-SOVIET), 2 SMALL TENTS, 18 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, 9 FA PIECES, AND 8 AAA PIECES.

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CAMP 2.2 NM SE -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWENTY CARGO TRUCKS, ONE OTHER VEHICLE, AND 18 FA PIECES.

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OFELIA MILITARY CAMP 2006N 07530W

AT LEAST 25 TANKS/SP GUNS, AT LEAST 65 CARGO TRUCKS, 28 FA PIECES, AND 14 AAA PIECES OBSERVED. DBLIQUITY AND HAZE LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

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ALTO CEDRO MILITARY CAMP 2029N 07600W

AREAS 2, 3, 5-9 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. AREA 1 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. SIX LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, 36 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 7 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT. AREA 2 -- NO VEHICLES OBSERVED. AREA 3 -- 39 CARGO TRUCKS AND 8 FA PIECES. AREA 4 -- 4 PROBABLE BARRACKS, 3 SUPPORT BUILDINGS, 4 LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, 21 CARGO TRUCKS AND 17 FA PIECES. AREA 5 -- 27 CARGO TRUCKS AND ONE UTILITY TRUCK. AREA 6 -- 20 CARGO TRUCKS, DNE UTILITY TRUCK, 4 VAN TRUCKS, AND 9 FA PIECES. AREA 7 -- 22 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, AND 2 VAN TRUCKS. AREA 8 -- 36 CARGO TRUCKS AND 4 FA PIECES. AREA 9 -- 20 TANKS/SP GUNS, 8 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, ONE VAN TRUCK, AND 3 OTHER VEHICLES. AREA 10 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. 2 LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS AND 2 MEDIUM NON-SOVIET TENTS, 12 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, AND



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3 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

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EL CRISTO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2008N 07547W

MAIN CAMP -- APPROXIMATELY 40 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES. AREA 1.6 NM NE -- IDENTIFICATION ONLY.

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MACAGUA MILITARY CAMP 2050N 07610W.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TWENTY CARGO TRUCKS, 30 MORTARS, AND 18 CANVASCOVERED VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP NW 2057N 07616W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TWENTY-TWO TANKS/SP GUNS, 8 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 PROBABLE VAN TRUCKS, ONE PROBABLE POL TRUCK, ONE OTHER VEHICLE, AND 6 AAA PIECES OBSERVED.

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TACAJO MILITARY CAMP 2051N 07558W

AREA 1 .-- ONE LARGE NON-SOVIET TENT AND ONE PROBABLE CARGO TRUCK.

AREAS 2 AND 8 -- ABANDONED.

AREA 3 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWENTY

CARGO TRUCKS, 14 MORTARS, AND 3 AAA PIECES.

AREA 4 -- 8 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 OTHER VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, AND 18 FA PIECES.

AREA 5 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. THREE BRDM-APC, 14 CARGO TRUCKS, 4 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, AND AN OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE.

AREA 6 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. SIXTEEN CARGO TRUCKS, 6 UTILITY TRUCKS, AND 4 OTHER VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

AREA 7 -- NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TEN CARGO TRUCKS, 2 TRUCK-TRACTORS, 5 FA PIECES, AND

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APPROXIMATELY 100 PERSONNEL.

AREA 9 -- 6 LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, 15 TANKS/SP. GUNS, 25X1D 2 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 VAN TRUCKS AND 3 OTHER VEHICLES.

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DOS CAMINOS MILITARY TRAINING AREA 2014N 07547W

AT LEAST 28 PROBABLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, AT LEAST 40 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, AND AT LEAST 54 PROBABLE FA PIECES OBSERVED.

POOR IMAGE QUALITY AND OBLIQUITY LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

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LA VEGUITA MILITARY CAMP 2049N 07615W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWO LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, ONE MEDIUM NON-SOVIET TENT, 14 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE OTHER VEHICLE, AND 2 POSSIBLE FA PIECES OBSERVED.

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RLA VEGA MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07552W

NO PAPPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
THIRTEEN CARGO TRUCKS AND 12 MORTARS OBSERVED.
THE TWO 3-GUN AAA SITES ARE OCCUPIED.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA MILITARY CAMP NE 2002N 07548W

AREA ABANDONED.

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HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP WSW 2051N 07618W

TWENTY-THREE LARGE TENTS (22 NON-SOVIET) OBSERVED.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINGE LAST COVERAGE-

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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD
PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH
NICARO LANDING BEACH

2005N 07509W 1958N 07457W 2042N 07533W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED--

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LOS ANGELES SAM SITE
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA
CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD
CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD
MANZANILLO PORT
MANZANILLO MILITARY CAMP
CAMAGUEY MILITARY CAMP
MINAS MILITARY CAMP
SANTA ISABEL FINCA MILITARY CAMP
SIBONEY LANDING BEACH
MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH

2100N 07541W 1959N 07550W 2003N 07553W 2229N 07750W 2125N 07750W 2021N 07707W 2017N 07707W 2126N 07753W 2127N 07753W 2127N 07734W 2005N 075528W 1957N 07557W

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